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**NOTICE OF PROPOSED ACTION  
PUBLIC NOTICE**

The Administrator, Division of Environmental Protection, Department of Conservation and Natural Resources, Carson City, Nevada is issuing the following Notice of Proposed Action under the authority of the Nevada Revised Statutes, the Nevada Administrative Code, and the Safe Drinking Water Act.

The Administrator has received an application for an Underground Injection Control (UIC) permit, which has been drafted for public comment. Permit #UNEV2005213 has been applied for by the following applicant:

**American Pacific Corporation (AMPAC)  
3770 Howard Hughes Parkway, Suite 300  
Las Vegas, Nevada 89109**

The applicant has submitted an application for an UIC permit associated with off-site remediation from the former PEPCON facility in Henderson, Nevada. The application is in response to groundwater impacted by the past release of perchlorate. The applicant proposes to initiate remediation efforts utilizing the injection of electron donors for In Situ Bioremediation (ISB). The applicant proposes to extract contaminated groundwater near Athens Road and Boulder Highway in Henderson, pump it to a treatment system (for filtration, pH adjustment, and biofouling control), and re-inject the treated groundwater with electron donors (and biofouling control compounds temporarily) into injection wells located in the SE ¼ SW ¼ of Section 25, T21S, R62E, MDB&M in Clark County (along Russell Road alignment, east of Wiesner Way). The goal of the treatment system is to reduce perchlorate concentrations by 95%. Monitoring will be conducted to ensure that contaminants do not migrate downgradient and that groundwater is adequately treated.

On the basis of preliminary review of the requirements of the Nevada Revised Statutes, the Nevada Administrative Code, the Safe Drinking Water Act, and implementing regulations, the Administrator proposes to issue permit #UNEV2005213 as stated above.

Persons wishing to comment upon or object to the proposed determinations by the Administrator regarding permit issuance or to request a hearing pursuant to Nevada Administrative Code, Water Pollution Control, should submit their comments or request in writing by October 30, 2005 either in person or by mail to:

**Attn: Becky Linvill**  
**Nevada Division of Environmental Protection**  
**Bureau of Water Pollution Control**  
**901 South Stewart Street; Suite 4001**  
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All comments or objections received within thirty days of newspaper publication will be considered in the formulation of final determinations regarding the application. If written comments indicate a significant degree of public interest in the proposed permit, the Administrator shall hold a public hearing. A public notice of such hearing will be issued not less than thirty days prior to the hearing date.

The application, draft permit, comments received, and other information are on file and may be copied at the office of the Division of Environmental Protection, or copies may be obtained by writing to the above address or by calling Becky Linvill of the Bureau of Water Pollution Control at (775) 687-9503.

Please bring the foregoing notice to the attention of all persons whom you know would be interested in this matter.